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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

There was a good reason that the FCC allowed small vendors to buy ATT and Comcast data lines. It was because ATT and Comcast were using their monopoly to overcharge and under-serve the public. They continue to fail to provide timely service and if they have a monopoly on the fiberlines they have no reason to do any better. The small vendor I use has done an excellent job of responding to my difficulties within the hour! In person! At my location! Neither ATT nor Comast has ever shown up and repaired my lines on the same day as my request. If I had ATT or Comcast I could have been out business by the time they got around to fixing my line.

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